Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace paragraph [0005] with the following amended paragraph:

An application server 102 is often used to host a variety of applications (such as application 103). Business logic application software and/or database application software are frequent types of application software that are hosted by an application server 101 102. Here, "hosting" generally means being responsible for interpreting and/or formatting messages received/sent to network 101 so that the application 103 is properly used by the enterprise. For example, in a basic case where application 101 103 is a business logic application, the application server 102 responds to a request from the network 101 for application 103 (i.e., a request from some entity that has expressed a need for application 103 through network 101) by properly invoking application 103 in response to the request; and, forwards the result(s) of the application's execution to the requestor.

Please replace paragraph [0013] with the following amended paragraph:

The exemplary IS infrastructure of **Figure 1** also shows an HTTP server 118 communicatively coupled to a J2EE server 119. An HTTP server is a server that can respond to requests from a network authored in the HTTP protocol (which is the primary web page identification protocol – thus, HTTP server 118 can also be viewed as a web server). The HTTP server 119 is communicatively coupled to a J2EE server 119.

Please replace paragraph [0053] with the following amended paragraph:

According to the embodiment of **Figure 4**, the basic control information 401 is used to control the execution of the GRMG infrastructure itself and includes a "run" field 401₁; a "runlog" field 401₂; and, a "runerror" field 401₃. The run field 401₁

specifies whether the GRMG <u>nfrastructure</u> infrastructure that would use the customizing file is running or not. In a further embodiment, the customizing file is the form of a document such as an [[,]]XML document. Here, an "X" is marked at an appropriate location in the document to indicate whether or not the applicable GRMG infrastructure is running (e.g., X = running; no X = not running).

Please replace paragraph [0055] with the following amended paragraph:

The exemplary customizing file embodiment of **Figure 4** also indicates that messaging for a plurality of N scenarios are to be supported. As such a separate body of information is included for each scenario 402₁ through 402_N; where, for illustrative simplicity, only a breakdown of the information included for scenario 402_N is shown in detail. A similar collection of information should be included for the other scenarios. According to the embodiment of **Figure 4**, the breakdown of information for a particular scenario includes: 1) the scenario name 403; 2) the scenario version 404; 3) the scenario instance 405; 4) the scenario type 406; 5) the starting URL for the scenario 407; 6) the start module for the scenario 408; 7) a description of the scenario 410 409; 8) the language of the scenario description 409 410; and, 9) a breakdown of information for each component 411₁ through 411_X that is to be checked for availability for the particular scenario.

Please replace paragraph [0096] with the following amended paragraph:

In an embodiment, the technical name of the component is added as a prefix to the host name observed in the subtree at node 803. For example, if the technical

Application No. 10/749,769 Reply to Office Action of 3/5/07 name of the component is "SWP_Comp" and the host name is "Host3753"; then, the text next to node 803 might would read "SWP_Comp Host3753". The technical name for the component may be provided from the component name value 412, 512, 712 values found in the customizing file, request message and response message for the scenario (e.g., as respectively depicted in **Figures 4**, **5b** and [[6]] 7).